



PATENT
Customer No. 22,852
Attorney Docket No. 06530.0313

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
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Christopher D. ENDARA et al.) Group Art Unit: 3734
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Application No.: 10/731,153) Examiner: Truong, Kevin Thao
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Filed: December 10, 2003)
) Confirmation No.: 4806
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For: CLEVIS ASSEMBLIES FOR)
MEDICAL INSTRUMENTS AND)
METHODS OF MANUFACTURE)
OF SAME)
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicant petitions for a one month extension of time to file a reply to the Final Office Action of August 22, 2007. A fee of \$120.00 is enclosed.

Please grant any additional extensions of time required to enter the enclosed Request for Continued Examination (RCE) and charge any additional required fees to Deposit Account No. 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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